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SUBJECT: REVIEW OF UNITED STATES MILITARY LIAISON OFFICE IN ECUADOR

FROM THE AMBASSADOR

1. WHEN THE UNITED STATES MILITARY LIAISON OFFICE (USMLO) WAS ESTABLISHED ON JULY 15, 1974, IT WAS AGREED THAT AFTER ONE YEAR'S TIME A REVIEW OF THE USMLO ORGANIZATIONAL STRUCTURE WOULD BE CONDUCTED BY APPROPRIATE US MILITARY AUTHORITIES IN COORDINATION WITH THE US AMBASSADOR. THIS IS REFLECTED IN THE TERMS OF REFERENCE FOR THE USMLO, AND CONFIRMED IN A LETTER FROM THOMAS STERN TO VICE ADMIRAL RAY PEET ON JUNE 7, 1974 AND THE REPLY SENT BY ASSISTANT SECRETARY OF DEFENSE (ISA) ROBERT ELLSWORTH DATED JUNE 18, 1974.

2. WE NOW HAVE ONE YEAR'S EXPERIENCE WITH THE ORGANIZATION AND STRUCTURE OF THE USMLO, AND I AM FULLY SATISFIED WITH BOTH THE WAY IT IS ORGANIZED AND MANNED. A JOINT GENERAL INSPECTION OF THE USMLO WAS CONDUCTED JULY 7-11, 1975, BY REPRESENTATIVES OF USCINCSO: WHILE GIVING THE USMLO THE RATING OF "SATISFACTORY", THEY STATED THAT IF "ANY FURTHER ADDITIONAL RATING SUBDIVISION WAS MADE, THE USMLO WOULD HAVE RECEIVED THE HIGHEST RATING POSSIBLE".

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3. IN LIGHT OF THE ABOVE, I WOULD LIKE TO SUGGEST THAT WE

CONSIDER THE REVIEW CALLED FOR IN PARAGRAPH 7(D) OF THE  
TERMS OF REFERENCE HAS BEEN COMPLIED WITH AND THAT WE  
CONFIRM THE USMLO ORGANIZATIONAL STRUCTURE AS IT PRESENTLY  
EXISTS.  
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